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Naturally Raised Livestock and Meat Marketing Claim Listening Session Agenda

Wednesday, January 17, 2007

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Welcome and Opening Comments

1:00 p.m.

William T. Sessions Associate Deputy Administrator Livestock and Seed Program

Marketing Claims and Their Functions in USDA Programs

1:10 p.m.

William T. Sessions

Overview of Requests for Certified Naturally Raised

Martin E. O'Connor Chief, Standards, Analysis and Technology Branch Livestock and Seed Program Agricultural Marketing Service

Label Approval Programs of FSIS

Tammie Myrick Office of Policy, Program and Employee Development (OPPED) Labeling and Consumer Protection Staff (LCPS) Food Safety and Inspection Service

Public/Stakeholders Input

1:40 p.m.

Moderated by William T. Sessions

Closing Comments

3:55 p.m.

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